

Claim Version with markings showing changes made

1. (Presently amended) A method of administering a secretorically reducing amount of a botulinum toxin to a patient having excess levels of secretions from holocrine glands wherein said [the] excess [level] levels of glandular secretion result in conditions which are selected from the group consisting of, seborrheic dermatitis, rhinophyma, seborrhea, seborrheic blepharitis, and sebaceous cysts whereby the excess level of glandular secretion in said patient is reduced .

2. (Originally filed) The method of claim 1 wherein the holocrine glands are selected from the group consisting of sebaceous glands, pilosebaceous glands, meibomium glands, and glands of Zeiss and Moll.

3. (Cancelled)

4. (Originally filed) The method of claim 1 wherein the method of administration is topical.

5. (Previously amended) The method of claim 1 wherein the method of administration is by subdermal or intradermal injection.

6. (Originally filed) The method of claim 5 wherein injection is subdermal.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Originally filed) The method of claim 5 wherein injection is intradermal.

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Originally filed) The method of claim 6 comprising the subdermal injection of botulinum toxin A at multiple sites in the skin, wherein the sites of adjacent injections are separated by about 0.5 to 10 cm.

11. (Originally filed) The method of claim 10 wherein the sites of adjacent injections are separated by about 1.5 to about 3 cm.

12. – 13 (Cancelled)

14. (Originally filed) The method of claim 8 comprising the intradermal injection of botulinum toxin A at multiple sites in the skin, wherein the sites of adjacent injections are separated by about 0.5 to 10 cm.

15. (Originally filed) The method of claim 14 wherein the sites of adjacent injections are separated by about 1.5 to about 3 cm.

16. (Previously Amended) The method of claim 6 comprising the subdermal injection of botulinum toxin at multiple sites in the skin, wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 100 U of botulinum toxin.

17. (Previously amended) The method of claim 16 wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 10 U of botulinum toxin.

18. (Originally filed) The method of claim 6 wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 10 U of botulinum toxin A.

19. (Originally filed) The method of claim 18 wherein the amount injected is between 2 and 3 U of botulinum toxin A.

20. (Previously amended) The method of claim 8 wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 100 U of botulinum toxin A.

21. (Previously amended) The method of claim 24 wherein the amount injected is between 2 and 3 U of botulinum toxin .

22. (Originally filed) The method of claim 8 wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 10 U of botulinum toxin A.

23. (Originally filed) The method of claim 22 wherein the amount injected is between 2 and 3 U of botulinum toxin A.

24. (Previously amended) The method of claim 20 wherein the amount injected is between 1 and 10 U of botulinum toxin .

25. (Previously amended) The method of claim 17 wherein the amount injected is between 2 and 3 U of botulinum toxin .

26. (Originally filed) The method of Claim 1, wherein said method is repeated periodically to inhibit the recurrence of undesirable levels of secretion.

27. (Originally filed) The method of Claim 26, wherein said method is repeated at intervals from about 3 months to about 6 months to inhibit said recurrence.

28. (Originally filed) The method of Claim 27, wherein said method is repeated at intervals of about 4 months to inhibit said recurrence.

29. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin B.

30. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin C.

31. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin D.

32. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin E.

33. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin F.

34. (Presently amended) The method of Claim 1, wherein the botulinum toxin [comprises] is botulinum toxin G.

35.-57. (Cancelled)